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Refers to Tracy & King; John McCraken; A. D. Smith.
Basin City, Idaho Territory. nov14tf

WM. DOUTHITT,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
BOISE CITY IDAHO TERRITORY
Will give attention to Collecting Debts.
Refers by permission, reference is made to
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CRAKEN, STOUT & UPTON,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
PORTLAND OREGON
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McKENNAT & M'KENNEY,
Attorneys AND COUNSELLORS AT-LAW,
OREGON CITY.
Will attention paid to Land Claims and Land Agencies. dec6d3m

Idaho, State Insane Asylum and
COUNTY HOSPITAL.
HAWTHORNE & LORWEA,
PHYSICIANS & PROPRIETORS.
Office, Drs. Chapman and Watkins,
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Will attend at San Francisco and East of the Rocky Mountains for COLLECTIONS which may be entrusted to his care.
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Will assist parties in the State to consult me before closing.
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Will attend to business entrusted to him with fidelity.
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P. C. DART,
COMMISSION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
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REFERS TO
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SAN FRANCISCO
May 24, 1865 dtf

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GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
No. 104 FRONT STREET,
Between Clay and Commercial,
SAN FRANCISCO
ORDERS SOLICITED.
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CHRIS'S ICE CREAM SALOON
HAS REMOVED TO
No. 75 First Street, (bet. Alder and Morrison,)
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CONFECTIONERY, CANDIES, ETC.,
For sale at Wholesale and Retail
at the shortest notice with all kinds of Fruits in the season, at the lowest prices.
CHRIS. FISCHER & KAISER
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Having devoted years of time to architecture and traveling through all parts of the United States and Canada, he can safely guarantee entire satisfaction to all entrusting their orders to him. J. W.
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THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY to thank the public for their patronage of the OLD SALOON and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.
THE BEST OF WINES AND LIQUORS
Will be their patronage. Hereafter the notice will be
NEW EXCHANGE!
Ready to make this THE FIRST HOUSE IN THE CITY will be at hand
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OF SAN FRANCISCO,
CAPITAL, $750,000, GOLD COIN.
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LADD & TILTON,
General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territory
Dec 26 1864 dtm

UNION
Insurance Company
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
Nos. 416 and 418 CALIFORNIA ST.
STOCKHOLDERS INDIVIDUALLY LIABLE
CASH CAPITAL, $750,000.
DEPOSIT IN OREGON $50,000
Losses Promptly and Equitably Adjusted and Paid in Gold Coin.
THIS COMPANY having complied with the laws of Oregon by making a Deposit of fifty thousand dollars is now prepared to insure against Loss or Damage by FIRE Brick Iron and Frame Buildings Merchandize Furniture and other Insurable Property in all parts of this State.

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Agent for Oregon,
Office No. 75 Front Street, Portland,
Portland November, 16, 1865 def

GERMANIA
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
90 BROADWAY NEW YORK
GENERAL AGENCY OFFICE,
At 519 Montgomery St., San Francisco.
BERNARD GATTEL General Agent
Capital - - $540,000
BOARD OF REFERENCE FOR CALIFORNIA:
WM. RALSTON, of Bank of California,
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BENJ. L. NORDEN
Parties residing in Oregon and Idaho Territories who wish to secure Insurance with this Company may send their applications to the General Agent in San Francisco—which application should be accompanied by Certificate for—blank by
DR. CHAS. BLACH, Portland, Oregon, upon whose recommendation Policy will be issued
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EDWIN POWELL. GEORGE B. COE
POWELL & COE,
Forwarding and Commission
MERCHANTS,
UMATILLA CITY, OGN.
PARTICULAR PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO receiving and forwarding goods to all parts of the Mines in Oregon and Washington and Idaho.
Goods consigned and Freights paid, Storage obtained, and all trade connected with the Forwarding and Commission Business promptly attended to.
Consignments of Goods solicited.
WE REFER BY PERMISSION,
At San Francisco—Howard, Conway & Co, Richards & McCraken
At Portland—Richards & McCraken Goldsmith Bros
At Victoria, V. I.—Goldstone & Bro, Guild David & Co
Mark Goods care of P. & C, Umatilla.
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FLANDERS & FELTON,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WALLULA, W. T.
PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO RECEIVING and Forwarding Goods to all parts of the Mines in Washington and Idaho Territories; also to the Kootenai Mines. Freights paid and Goods Stored on Consignments made to us.
All business intrusted to us promptly attended to.
Mark Goods care of F. & F. Wallula.

FLANDERS & FELTON
Have on hand and keep for sale a Large Assortment of
Groceries and Liquors.
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" Baxter & Co. Portland
" Knapp Burrell & Co. Portland
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AND DEALERS IN
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SILVER CITY, OWYHEE MINES,
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Dalles—Block, Miller & Co. French & Gilman. jan1 3m*

HENRY MARTIN & CO.,
DEALERS IN
PRODUCE,
Foreign and Domestic Fruits,
NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES STATIONERY CUTLERY
Yankee Notions, &c.,
FIRE CRACKERS and all kinds of FIREWORKS and South Sea Island CORAL SHELLS always on hand
Also, Miller & Lambert's FLOWER SHRUBBERY FRUIT TREES and FRUITS
Corner of Front and Washington Sts.
Opposite Lincoln House, Portland Oregon
P. S.—Orders promptly filled. nov2dtf

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Incorporated by Royal Charter
Capital - £1,250,000
Paid up in Full,
IN 12,500 SHARES OF $100 EACH
WITH POWER TO INCREASE
HEAD OFFICE—60 LOMBARD STREET, LONDON
BRANCHES.
IN VANCOUVER ISLAND—VICTORIA
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA,
NEW WESTMINSTER Bank of British Columbia;
YALE Bank of British Columbia;
MUSQUEQUEELE Bank of British Columbia;
CAMERONTOWN GARIBOO—Bank of British Columbia
IN THE UNITED STATES:
SAN FRANCISCO—Bank of British Columbia;
NEW YORK—Messrs. R. BELL and F. GUNDRY
IN CANADA:
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Branches and Agencies:

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Toronto,	Cobourg	Peterboro,	Picton,
Quebec	Belleville	Ottawa	Perth
Hamilton	Brantford,	Guelph	Simcoe
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IN SCOTLAND—British Linen Company Bank
IN IRELAND—Union Bank of Ireland
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Is Dars. INTEREST allowed on Credit Balances of $1,000 and upward.
DEPOSIT RECEIPTS, bearing Interest, issued for money lodged for a fixed period.
BILLS Discounted & Collected, and BILLS OF EXCHANGE on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York purchased.
DRAFTS issued on all the Branches and Agencies and CREDITS granted on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped to Portland.
GOLD BARS PURCHASED received on Deposit, or Advances made upon them.
EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager
Portland July 10 1865 dtf

PORTLAND
PLUMBING, GAS & STEAM FITTING
ESTABLISHMENT.
No. 110 First Street.
ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM the East—
Cooking Ranges, Hot Water Boilers,
Copper, Tin and Planished Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter Sunk
Marble Wash Stands;
Cold, and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS
SILVER-PLATED BASIN COCKS,
MARBLE WASH-BASINS,
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS;
HYDRAULIC RAMS;
NON FREEZING HYDRANTS
WATER CLOSETS, &c. &c.
Persons wishing to introduce Cold or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give us a call.
Portland April 3d 1865 C. H. MYERS.

ENGINEERS AND OTHERS,
Take Notice.
JUST RECEIVED, A SMALL LOT OF THE CELEBRATED SCOTCH TUBES for Water Gauges.
Also, the Largest Stock ever offered here in this city of all sizes WROUGHT IRON PIPES from ⅜ to 4 inch inside diameter. BRASS COCKS, TEE, ELBOWS, RETURN BENDS, NIPPLES, BUSHINGS, &c.
Constantly on hand, STEAM WHISTLES, STEAM GUAGES, WATER GUAGES, GOVERNOR and STOP VALVES, THROTTLE, ANGLE and CHECK VALVES, GUAGE COCKS, AIR COCKS and all kinds of
BRASS WORK,
FOR STEAM, WATER, AND GAS.
Persons wishing any thing in the above line, will do well to examine and price my stock before sending to San Francisco. C. H. MYERS,
Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Establishment,
ap3dtf No. 110 First Street Portland.

CITY BAKERY
AND
Provision Store.
R. PITTOCK,
NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,
Opposite Lower Steamship Landing
and Corner First and Morrison Streets,
Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of
BREAD,
Butter, Water, Sugar, Boston and Soda
CRACKERS,
PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.
and all kinds of
STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,
Family Groceries,
FEED, FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c., &c.
Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City. Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.
The business hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY ON THE CASH PRINCIPLE.

Notice to
BREWERS & SALOON-KEEPERS.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND—
MALT, HOPS, IRISH MOSS,
BARLEY, BROOMS, BARREL BRUSHES,
BRASS AND WOOD FAUCETS,
And all other articles for Brewer's use. Also, any quantity of
WEINHARD'S LAGER BEER!
So Well and Favorably Known. All of which we are prepared to furnish at PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION.
Orders will be Promptly Filled.
WEINHARD & DEFLINGER,
City Brewery,
Nov 3d 1864 d3m Portland, Oregon

Jewelry! Jewelry!
DIRECT FROM NEW YORK!
C. C. STEWART C. C. COURLEY
STEWART & COURLEY,
Are now offering to the Public the BEST and CHEAPEST assortment of
CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
IVORY AND RUBBER SETTS,
(New Style Jewelry.)
A Large and Well selected Stock of
Silver Plated Ware;
And everything usually kept in our line of business.
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY
Particular attention paid to the REPAIRS OF FINE WATCHES and all kinds of JOB WORK done on short notice by an experienced workman.
Call and see for yourselves.
STEWART & COURLEY
103 Front street Portland, Oregon

WATERHOUSE & LESTER,
Successors to H. W. Bragg & Co.
and agents for
HARDWOOD LUMBER,
ALL KINDS OF
Coach, Carriage and Wagon Stock.
1 and 13 Seventh street, Sacramento
20 and 131 Battery street, San Francisco
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Dissolution of Copartnership
NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of H. W. BRAGG & CO. in this city has been dissolved. Mr. Bragg having sold his entire interest in the firm to his partners. The business will be conducted in the same manner and under the same and style of WATERHOUSE & LESTER who are authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will settle all demands against the same.
October 30, 1865
H. W. BRAGG
C. WATERHOUSE
J. W. LESTER

DR. R. B. WILSON,
Office—No. 5 Stark Street.
Residence—North Fourth street, between Davis and Everett.
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DR. H. M'KINNELL
HOMEOPATHIST.
THOSE PREFERRING THIS MILD EFFICIENT MEDICAL TREATMENT can consult him at his Office on Fourth street, front of the Public Square.
Ten Years Practice in Oregon establishes the fact and especially by diseases peculiar to the climate.
Portland, Ya., 1861 dtf

J. L. COOMBS, M.D.,
Late of California
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, &c., &c.,
OFFICE—Iron Building, over Wells Fargo & Co.'s
Residence—Corner Fourth and Taylor streets.
CONTINUES TO TREAT ALL DISEASES OF EVERY NATURE.
May be found at the Consultation Rooms day and night, unless absent on professional calls.
Portland Oct. 17 1865 1y

PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO.'S
Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER notice
THE STEAMER
SENATOR
Will leave Portland for Oregon City every morning at o'clock, CARRYING THE U. S. MAILS.
The Steamer RIVAL will leave Oregon City daily (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock A. M. Returning will leave Portland at 2 o'clock P. M.
The Steamer RELIANCE will leave Canemah every Monday and Thursday morning on the arrival of the SENATOR from Portland, for CORVALLIS and intermediate points.
The Steamer ENTERPRISE will leave every Tuesday morning for EUGENE CITY and intermediate points.
W. K. BUTTERFIELD has been appointed Agent for Oregon City. Charles Wharfinger will collect freight and forward to Upper Willamette.
A. A. McCULLY
Dec 14th 1865—dtf President P. T. Co.

Notice.
THE WILLAMETTE STEAMSAW CO.'S STEAMER
ACTIVE,
CAPT. J. T. APPERSON Master
Will leave CANEMAH every TUESDAY and FRIDAY at 10 o'clock A. M., for BATTEMAN, ARRANA & COE'S MILLS.
D. W. BURNSIDE,
Portland Dec 9 1865—tf President W. S. Co.

Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE until further notice the STEAMER
UNION
Will leave CANEMAH every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY mornings upon the arrival of the Boat from Portland.
Returning every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, connecting with the Boats for Portland.
September 7th 1864—tf J. D. MILLER, Master

ESTABLISHED 1851
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Importers of Optical, Mathematical and Philosophical Instruments,
Stereoscopic Goods,
CARTES DE VISITE,
and JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS'
SUPERIOR CUTLERY.
PUBLISHERS OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF CALIFORNIA.
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery street, between California and Pine streets, San Francisco,
And No. 11 Maiden Lane, New York.

HAVE FOR SALE THE LARGEST STOCK ON THE Pacific Coast consisting in part as follows:
720 dozen SPECTACLES, in Gold, Silver, Steel and Plated frames;
300 dozen EYE GLASSES, in Gold, Silver, Steel, Horn, Shell and Rubber Frames;
150 dozen SILVER ENGLISH OPERA GLASSES;
200 dozen SPECTACLE GLASSES and BRAZILIAN PEBBLES;
250 dozen SPECTACLE and EYE GLASS CASES;
395 Opera and Marine Glasses;
14 Telescopes and Spy Glasses;
225 dozen Magnifying Glasses;
80 dozen Pocket Compasses;
325 Hand stereoscopes;
74 Revolving Stereoscopes;
1,500 dozen Stereoscopic Views;
Drawing Instruments in Morocco, Silver and Brass;
Boxwood and Ivory Scales;
Microscopes in every Style;
Magnets, Medicated for Medical purposes;
Aneroid Barometers;
25,500 Cork Photograph Pins;
600 Albums Pictures (Holcomb);
Union Card Frames;
Joseph Rodgers & Son's CUTLERY;
100 dozen Table Knives;
200 dozen Pocket Knives;
130 dozen Razors;
50 dozen Razor Strops;
120 dozen Scissors;
SCISSORS in Cases;
100 dozen Gimlets and Awls;
100 dozen Thermometers;
25 dozen Hydrometers;
Galvanic Batteries.
COUNTRY DEALERS will consult their own interest by examining our stock and Price List before purchasing elsewhere.
ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
CATALOGUES sent to any address FREE on application.
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery Street,
jan0 SAN FRANCISCO dawly1p

JOHN B. MILLER,
PRACTICAL
WATCHMAKER,
106 Front Street,
One door north of Post Office, in Pinkham's Music Store
PORTLAND OREGON
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE citizens of Portland and the interior towns and the public in general, that I have started in this city and have rented my NEW SHOP in the
City Extension and Will Select Assortment of
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,
from the most fashionable Makers
CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE
All of the Latest and Most Desirable Fashions.
Particular attention given to CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES and satisfaction guaranteed. Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired at short notice.
Oct 16 1865 JOHN B. MILLER

CHARLES BERNARD,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
FAMILY CHARTRES COFFEE,
AND SPICES OF ALL KINDS
No. 607 Sansome Street, corner of Gold,
BETWEEN JACKSON AND PACIFIC STREETS,
SAN FRANCISCO
FIRST PREMIUM AWARDED
BY THE MECHANICS INSTITUTE
FOR BEST COFFEE AND SPICES.
The proprietor having extensive Steam Power in his Manufactory has now reduced facilities to supply the trade and the public in general, at a saving from former prices, of 25 per cent. Call and see for yourselves.
Country orders promptly attended to. 1y

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HARDWOOD LUMBER,
ALL KINDS OF
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HIDES & WOOL.
WILL PAY the highest CASH PRICE for Hides and Wool at
RICHARDS & M'CRAKEN'S
Portland Nov 14 1865 d&w2m

FURS! FURS!
THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BEAVER, OTTER and MINK FURS by
H. H. HALDS & McCRAKEN
Portland Oregon Nov 14 1865 dtf

Mining Tools,
A LARGE STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
For sale by
H. W. CORBETT

New Columbian,
Nos. 118, 120 and 122 Front st. corner of Morrison.
GOOD NEWS!
THE NEW COLUMBIAN is ready to receive its friends and the public generally, who may favor him with a call at PRICES TO SUIT.
The NEW COLUMBIAN is centrally located, and has been refitted and refurnished throughout, and is now ready to accommodate the public in a manner not excelled by any house in the city.
The DINING ROOM is large and commodious, has been supplied with the best of
A large fire proof Safe for the deposit of valuables.
Baggage taken to the Hotel FREE OF CHARGE. Hackmen always on hand.
Board per week $5. Board and Lodging $7. Single Meals 50 cts.
The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to please his guests, and would say to the traveling public that no pains will be spared to render their stay as comfortable as possible.
Portland, Oregon August 9th 1864 dtf

What Cheer House,
Front St., between Morrison and Yamhill
M. O'CONNER, Proprietor
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM HIS PATRONS and the public generally that having moved into his
NEW AND SPLENDID HOTEL,
He is now prepared to accommodate any number of persons with Board or Lodging.
The House is furnished throughout entirely NEW FURNITURE, Carpeting and Bedsteads with Spring Mattresses.
The Bar is furnished with the FINEST WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
The Proprietor now will express himself thankful for the continued patronage of his friends for whom he would solicit the further patronage of the public, assuring them that no expense or labor will be spared in making this House the most desirable and agreeable in Portland, Oregon.
The Table is always furnished with EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS.
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The Table is always furnished with EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS.
BOARD BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MEAL.
Single Meals 50 cts. Lodging 25 cts.
Board and Lodging per week $5 00
Board without Lodging, per week 4 00
Board per day 1 00
Single Meals 50
Lodging 25
E. CARNEY, Proprietor.
This House is conducted strictly on TEMPERANCE PRINCIPLES.
FIRE-PROOF SAFE in Office for valuables.
Baggage taken to the House free of charge.
Portland, May 6, 1864 dtf

Howard House,
Front St., near Steamboat Landing.
(Formerly kept by Jas. Gulick.)
MICHAEL LANE Proprietor
THIS well known HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR the reception of guests. It has been renovated and refurnished.
TERMS
Board and Lodging from $5 00 to $7 00 per week.
FIRE PROOF SAFE for Valuables, and all baggage carefully taken care of.
There is a First-class SALOON connected with the House under the supervision of WILLIAM INGALS.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!!
New Proprietors.
EMPIRE RESTAURANT
COR. FIRST AND WASHINGTON STS.
THIS RESTAURANT has been newly refitted and refurnished and is now prepared to accommodate a large number of Boarders and Lodgers.
The Table will at all times be supplied with the best the Market affords.
MEALS AT ALL HOURS!
Please give us a Trial.
A Private Dining Room for LADIES.
oct26tf MRS. C. HIGGINSON

RUSS HOUSE,
San Francisco, California.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY PURchased the interest of HARRENBERGER & DYER, in the above well known popular and commodious house.
It is hereafter to be under the management and control of SIMON P. SEYMOUR, formerly of the Cosmopolitan Hotel, and H. H. PEARSON, late Chief Agent of Express.
It will be thoroughly refitted and furnished throughout, and will compare favorably with any Hotel in the State.
The proprietors by strict attention to the comfort of their guests hope to give satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage.
H. H. PEARSON & CO.
San Francisco June 15 1865 ed6m1y

RAILROAD HOUSE,
FIRE PROOF BUILDING,
Nos. 316, 318, 320 Commercial street,
SAN FRANCISCO
THIS HOUSE CONTAINS ONE HUNDRED ROOMS, Well Furnished.
The House is conducted on the European Plan. Rooms (in or without Board). Lodging by the day or week reduced.
The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords, and no pains spared to render it in every respect a first class House.
FIRST CLASS BILLIARD TABLES for use of Guests.
By giving me a call I guarantee perfect satisfaction.
TERMS MODERATE.
The Railroad Omnibus Line will be in attendance on the arrival of Steamers to convey passengers and their baggage to the House free of charge.
A Porter will be in attendance at the Office of the House to receive orders.
aug16dawly1p C. B. GREENE Sole Proprietor

DELMONICO RESTAURANT.
THE undersigned having purchased the above popular house, will continue on his friends and the public generally that he will do all in his power to please those who favor him with their patronage. The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.
Meals at all Hours.
Board furnished by the day or week.
Portland, Nov. 1, 1865 JOHN BRINELL

PACIFIC
Hotel & Restaurant,
OLYMPIA, W. T.
THE ABOVE WELL KNOWN and popular House having been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished throughout, is now prepared to entertain guests in a manner not excelled by any other house in the place. Meals to be taken at all hours.
Call and examine for yourselves. Charges moderate.
MRS. ELIZA CHOWARD
Olympia, November 2, 1865 dtf

CIRCULAR SAWS,
AND MANDRELS FOR CIRCULAR SAWS
For sale by
H. W. CORBETT

Rebel Version of General Thomas' Victory.
A correspondent of the Memphis Avalanche who met the rebel General Hood on the steamer coming north from Galveston gives the following interesting account of the interview with Hood's version of the defeat of the rebel army in Tennessee:

APPEARANCE OF HOOD.
As the boat left the landing two of the passengers began to look at each other and my eyes rested upon a man seated on a chair with a crutch beside him, and with his head bent upon the table. This was Hood. He was dressed in the Confederate States army. His dress was a suit of blue flannel, with a black felt hat. On his left hand he wore a kid glove, as this person was very neat. With no little interest I went up to him and looked at his features. His face is pale and his eyes are light blue and nearly red. His hair is brown while a long light beard falls from his chin. In person, he is small and well made, and is quiet, cool and considerate. His age is only thirty four years.

WHAT HOOD'S PLAN WAS.
His quiet look led me to speak to him of which I was very desirous. I first talked of the boat wreck and the sea, then referred to the late war and his campaign in Tennessee. He said that very little was known about the merits of that campaign, for his reports saw light only at the break-up of the Confederacy. His plan was to push into Kentucky and there to increase and supply his army. If I had been able to do so," said the ex-General, "I would have had 90,000 men, and, with that force could have carried any army set against me." It was necessary for him to go on, he said for the men were losing spirit by falling and only some bold effort could reanimate them. It was with this view that he strove to defeat the army on its flank. General Thomas "(and" said he "I ought to have had him at Spring Hill, but some of my officers failed me."

In acting against the line of supply of our army the ex-General sent a force of four thousand five hundred cavalry to break up the railroad. This force found the road covered by a line of strong block houses, each with a cistern inside, and a garrison of fifty men. These were so safe for a time that, to use his words, "the cavalry could do nothing with them, though they took a few by a display of force. Time was necessary to reduce the blockhouses, and that was wanting. The effort made by the ex-General to defeat the force under Gen. Thomas is described by him as follows. The army of the former having left Florence on the 21st of November, 1864, to begin the movement, General Thomas falling back on the 23d upon Columbia.

HOOD'S ACCOUNT OF THE CAMPAIGN.
The want of a good map of the country, and the deep mud through which the army marched, prevented our overtaking the enemy before he reached Columbia, but on the evening of the 27th of November our army was placed in position in front of his works at that place. During the night however he evacuated the town, which was occupied quite strong in front. Late in the morning of the 28th of November General Forrest with most of his command, crossed Duck river, a few miles above Columbia, and I followed early on the morning of the 29th with Stuart's and Cheatham's corps, and Johnson's division of Lee's corps in the enemy's front at Columbia.

The troops moved in light marching order with only a battery to the corps, my object being to turn the enemy a flank by marching rapidly on roads parallel to the Columbia and Franklin pike, at or near Spring Hill, and to cut off that portion of the enemy at or near Columbia. When I had gotten well on his flank, the enemy discovered my intention, and began a retreat on the pike toward Spring Hill. The cavalry became engaged near that place about midday, but my trains were so strongly guarded that they were unable to break through them. About 4 p. m. our infantry force, Major General Cheatham in the advance, commenced to come in contact with the enemy about two miles from Spring Hill, through which place the Columbia and Franklin pike runs.

The enemy was at this time moving rapidly along the pike, with some of his troops formed on the flank of his column to protect it. Major General Cheatham was ordered to attack the enemy at once, vigorously and get possession of this pike and although these orders were frequently and earnestly repeated, he made but a feeble and partial attack, failing to reach the point indicated. Had my instructions been carried out, there is no doubt that we could have possessed ourselves of this road. Stuart's corps and Johnson's division were arriving upon the field to support the attack. Though the golden opportunity had passed at daylight, I did not at dark abandon the hope of dealing the enemy a heavy blow. Accordingly, one of Cheatham's staff officers was sent to show Stuart where (Cheatham's) right rested. In the dark and confusion Stuart did not succeed in getting the position desired, but about 11 a. m. next morning about 12 m., ascertaining that the enemy was moving in great confusion—artillery wagons and troops intermixed—I sent instructions to General Cheatham to advance a heavy line of skirmishers against him and still further impede and confuse his march. This was not accomplished.

The enemy continued to move along the road in hurry and confusion, without hearing, nearly all the night. Thus was lost a great opportunity of striking the enemy for which we had labored so long, the greatest this campaign had offered and one of the greatest during the war. Lieutenant General Lee, left in front of the enemy at Columbia, was instructed to press the enemy the moment he abandoned his position at that point. The enemy did not abandon his works at that place till dark, showing that his trains obstructed the road for fifteen miles during the day and a great part of the night. At light we followed fast as possible, toward Franklin, Lieutenant General Stuart in the advance, Major General Cheatham following, and Lieutenant General Lee, with the trains, moving for Columbus, on the same road. We pursued the enemy rapidly, and compelled him to burn a number of his wagons.

He made a feint as if to give battle on the hills about four miles south of Franklin, but as soon as our forces began to deploy for the attack and to flank him on his left, he retired slowly to Franklin.

I learned from despatches, captured at Spring Hill, from Thomas to Schofield, that the latter was instructed to hold that place till the position at Franklin could be made secure,

The Daily Oregonian.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE

FRIDAY MORNING DECEMBER 15, 1865

Proposed Mail Route through Montana

An effort is being made to have a mail route established across the country through the State of Iowa the territories of Nebraska and Montana and perhaps then on to the Pacific The *Deseret News* (Salt Lake) of a late date thus speaks of this matter

A G Lawrence Esq Special Mail Agent returned to this city on Saturday morning 4th inst after an inspection trip to Helena Montana Territory with a view to recommend postal routes in that section which is about one hundred and forty miles from Virginia City As a result of this trip he is about to recommend an independent postal route from Sioux City to Virginia City distance 1,022 miles thence another from Virginia City by Gallatin Deerlodge (late Confederate Gulch) down the east side of the Missouri river to Fort Benton The river runs nearly north from where the Jefferson, Madison and Gallatin Forks unite to Fort Benton, a distance of about 250 miles from which point its course is nearly due east Thus an independent postal route would be opened through from Great Salt Lake City by Virginia City Gallatin Helena and Deerlodge to Fort Benton An independent route will also be recommended from Virginia City by Silver Bow Deer Lodge and Black foot to Hell Gate where it will unite with the route now being opened to Lewiston, Walla Walla and to all points on the Pacific coast. These points compass all the main discovered regions in Montana Territory and permeate what must soon be very populous settlements in consequence of the richness of the mines already discovered and the large number of miners settling to work them A line of route will also be recommended by way of Bannock Montana City and Silver Bow, to unite with the route previously named leading to Hell Gate

Sioux City, which is mentioned as the eastern terminus of the route that is to be recommended is situated on the Missouri river near the western boundary of Iowa This mail route will, if established, afford expellent postal facilities for the people of Montana and northern Idaho Hell Gate, Fort Benton, and numerous other places are to be supplied—a thing hitherto unknown in those localities This proposed route from Sioux City should be extended through to Walla Walla, and thence to Oregon. We could get our mails in a much shorter time, and we believe at a less expense, in this way than by the long, tedious and circuitous route by Salt Lake and California It is seldom the case that we get anything overland in a shorter time than two months If Montana succeed in obtaining the mails in the manner proposed above, an extension of the route to Oregon should be sought for. We might expect to receive our mails through from the East by this route within three or four weeks time The necessities of both States will require the continuance of the daily mail between California and Oregon, but this circumstance affords no reason why the northern overland line should not be established. The Territories of Idaho and Montana are rapidly assuming an importance which must make it impossible for the Government to overlook or neglect them. It can hardly be doubted that a mail route from some point on the Mississippi to Montana will be established the coming summer

THE "TONE" OF VIRGINIA.—Since the end of the rebellion many Virginians have taken occasion to declare that they "could not bear to see their State divided and two Governments erected within the limits of the once proud Old Dominion" The rebel Governor Letcher who was one of the class of patriots who were so painfully apprehensive last the "honor of Virginia" should suffer by a division of her ancient territory Certain chivalrous Virginians, under pretense of "preserving the honor" of their State, have caused all her troubles and were the authors of her final dishonor. The proud, noble and aristocratic "sons of the sacred soil," in their solicitude lest the "honor" of their State should suffer by the maintenance of the State of West Virginia, have resolved to reunite the two sections and bring the loyalists west of the mountains under the domination of the rebels of the eastern portion of the State. Their Legislature has with drawn its assent to the establishment of the State of West Virginia. Governor Pierpont, that representative of Virginia loyalty—the man who told the Comptroller of the Currency that the South would never help pay the national debt and her people would be d d fools if they did"—vetoes the measure. This action of subverting the State of West Virginia and dismantling the d lemberment of the set by which the division was accomplished, is but an exhibition of the impertinence which characterizes the "high toned gentlemen of the Old Dominion." The proper way to settle this new difficulty would be for the P. old at to Kick Pierpont and his legislature out of doors and appoint a Provisional Government, as was done in the other States. The chivalry of Virginia are evidently spelling for want of proper restraint. We expect to hear next that they have determined to go to war to recover their lost territory

Mr. O'Meara, of the *State Rights Democrat*, called on us yesterday. As his own party can testify, and as we also are able to bear witness, he is a "Democrat" "after the most straitest sect" of that political faith. We don't like to undertake to define this political views more fully fearing that we might fail to illustrate the doctrines of State rights and secession so forcibly as he can. However, we may say that, notwithstanding the downfall of the Confederacy, the abolition of slavery, and some other little discouragements, Mr O'Meara still adheres hopefully to the fortunes of his party

As an offset to the list of English contributors to the rebel cotton loan, lately published in the New York papers, *Punch* gives the names of American subscribers to the "Fenian fund" The total of subscriptions on this list is nearly $9 000 000 Sumner Bryant, Bennett, Ben. Wood, Gen Grant, Beecher, and others, are put down for sums varying from two dollars to ten thousand The whole thing is done up in *Punch's* inimitable style and is about the choicest bit of pleasantry that has lately appeared

ERROR.—In the debate in the House, on the 9th inst. on the resolutions relative to Mr Lincoln, as printed in the OREGONIAN of the 12th inst. Mr Lane is represented as saying "he would be satisfying himself should he vote for or against the resolutions" The word satisfying should be "stultifying" Quite a difference — REPORTER

The Montana *Post* of Nov 18th, contains the following

Hanauer Solomon & Co s train of twenty seven wagons each drawn by ten yoke of cattle and loaded with a general assortment of merchandise arrived in town on Wednesday last from Leaven worth Kansas They were 1/2 days on the road Considering the continuous labor they have undergone, the stock appears in good condition The train was attacked by Indians once and some of the cattle were driven off by them but the stock were recovered with but little delay Aside from its duration the trip may be considered as having been a successful one

On the Missouri river two miles from Canon Ferry a belt of four silver lodes has been struck on the hills about two hundred yards from the river The ore is about two thirds metal—silver and copper—and very rich The J N Wells" is of this class and the Lillie Nesbitt Both are surrounded by wood and water and are being developed by shafts Large fortunes are in these lodes S P Harlow is one of the lucky finders

One first informant of the unequaled richness of the "Uncle Sam" lode has returned to town and reports, from ocular proof, the ledge to be as far as opened eight feet wide and enormously rich No regular system of working it is being observed The richest specimens are picked or dried out and the fine decomposed quartz then has the precious metal taken from it by the panning process

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Special Session of the Legislature

(REPORTED EXPRESSLY FOR THE OREGONIAN)

SENATE

SALEM Tuesday, Dec 12 1865

Reports of standing and select committees were received and acted upon

The joint resolution proposing to amend the State Constitution in such a manner as to enable counties and towns to become stockholders was adopted

Mr Mitchell offered a memorial praying Congress to appropriate the sum of $1 571 02 for return horse premiums for expenses incurred under the old provisional government of Oregon adopted

Messrs Grim Hovey and Caldwell were appointed a committee to examine books and accounts of the State treasurer and Adjutant General

Mr Cranston introduced a bill to repeal the law requiring taxes to be paid in coin Read first time and one hundred copies ordered printed

Mr Hovey introduced a bill authorizing the Secretary of State to employ legal counsel to take charge of the case in the U S Supreme Court where the State of Oregon is plaintiff and Lane county defendant

Mr Hinsdale introduced a bill for the relief of John Fullerton Referred to committee on claims

Mr Cornelius introduced a bill relating to Assessors Read a second time by title and ordered engrossed

Several bills were read and acted upon

Mr Cranston introduced a bill for the relief of Stephen Rigdon referred to committee on claims

Mr Grim introduced a petition from citizens of Salem concerning the enlargements of the boundaries of the city.

Mr Pyle presented a memorial against taxation of mining interests by Congress.

AFTERNOON

House joint resolution to elect, on Wednesday next a Penitentiary Commissioner in the place of Col T R Cornelius who has not qualified, was concurred in

House joint resolution in relation to taxing United States bonds was referred to the committee on Federal Relations

Mr Grim introduced a bill to legalize deeds made by the Provisional Government of Oregon read third time and referred to the committee on corporations

Mr Cranston introduced a bill for the repeal of the specific contract law

The committee on military affairs reported having examined the Adjutant General's books and found them correct The committee recommended an increase of pay to the Adjutant General, making his salary $1 000 per annum

Senate concurred in the House amendment to adjourn *sine die* fixing the time at noon on Tuesday the 19th instant

Mr Cornelius introduced a bill for the relief of Washington County Referred to committee on claims

Mr Pyle introduced a bill to change the boundaries of Salem Ordered printed

Mr Grim introduced a bill to legalize all deeds of administrators made without previously advertising Referred to committee on claims

Mr Caldwell introduced a bill to tax Chinamen and Kanakas Referred

Mr Patton Secretary of the P T Co, was elected Assistant Engrossing Clerk

Senate concurred in the House joint resolution to admit no new business after the 13th inst Adjourned.

HOUSE

Prayer by Rev. Mr Dickinson.

The committee on military affairs to whom was referred a resolution asking our delegation in Congress to use their influence to secure an appropriation from Congress to aid in the construction of a military road from Klamath Lake to Ruby City reported against the resolution on the grounds that Congress had already made an appropriation for a road leading from Eugene City to Ruby City, which road ran within a few miles of the proposed route throughout its entire length.

Mr Underwood moved to adopt

Mr. Fay stated that, in the committee, when he found that his first proposition would not be acceded to, he had tried to have the resolution passed making Boise City the terminus, but this was refused also There are now two roads, one leading from Jacksonville to Canyon City and the other from Eugene City to Ruby City. Both these were toll roads and those who traveled upon them were obliged to pay tribute to these monopolies It is the design of this resolution to secure for the people of Southern Oregon a free military road Gentlemen on this floor think there is no necessity for this road. We think there is, and claim that the whole matter should be submitted to Congress for its decision I know that the gentlemen on the other side of the House will try to kill the bill—especially the gentleman from Lane, who is himself interested in the central road.

Mr Underwood—The gentleman from Jackson seems to consider this a measure of my own, and without replying to his base insinuation, I will state that this new route could not interfere with the central road anyhow There has already been an appropriation for building a road almost exactly over the route which he proposed When this was shown to him in the committee, he tried to get around it by making Boise City the terminus of the route which he advocates. It is well known that there is already a road from Ruby City to Boise His object is to get up a proposition ostensibly for the good of the people and then have it voted down so that he can claim it as a factious opposition to a minority In view of the manner in which they have acted, I think they have been treated as well as they deserve For my own part, I am sick of their arrogance If they would put their shoulders to the wheel and assist us to the legislation which the country so much needs, instead of acting so obstinately I would feel more charitable towards them This measure does not interfere with any individual interest of mine whatever, but my strongest objection to it is that it is asking too much from Congress She has always been very liberal towards us, and there is no necessity for this additional appropriation Any road to be kept in good repair in that country must be a toll road

Mr Fay—The gentleman from Lane is excessively sensitive He imagines he has been insulted, and he is sick of the manner in which the minority have acted We do not regard this self-constituted Cæsar as quite so important a personage as he represents himself "Upon what has this our Cæsar fed that he has grown so great?" I do not stand here by the favor of this or any other gentleman on this floor, or your favor, Mr Speaker or the favor of the Governor of this State or any other man, but we stand here by the favor of our constituencies That man or any other man upon this floor has no right to impugn our motives So far from our insulting him we have endeavored to be as cautious as possible under the circumstances but we have been frequently insulted upon this floor even the Speaker has descended from his seat

Mr Speaker—The gentleman from Jackson will take his seat The Chair cannot permit any such language

Mr Fay—I want to know if I am to be choked down on this question

Mr Speaker—The gentleman from Jackson has the floor He will confine himself to the question before the House and proceed

Mr Lawson—In the absence of any minority report I am unable to see any good reason why I should not vote against this bill

Mr Speaker—The gentleman from Jackson has the floor

Mr Fay stated that the reason that he as a member of the committee to whom this bill was referred did not bring in a minority report, was that he did not have time to do so He described the course taken by the different routes, and said he wanted a free road so that his constituents could avoid paying tribute to either of the roads now in existence We cannot agree here Congress has all the facts in the case and I think it is only common justice to let the matter go there

Mr Parker as Chairman of the committee could say that he had never had any feeling in the premises but to do what was just and to the interests of the country I consented to the report because I was convinced by the facts laid before the committee that the building of such a road would involve a needless expenditure by Congress There is now a survey completed for a road running almost exactly over the same ground This road has been built a considerable distance and will be pushed through as rapidly as possible

The report of the committee rejecting the bill was adopted ten members voting in the negative

Mr Hogue chairman of the select committee to whom was referred the resolution asking that the port of entry at Astoria be extended so as to include Portland, reported in favor of the resolution

Mr. Wakefield moved to adopt the report

Mr Hogue wished to explain why he voted in favor of the proposition When the matter came up yesterday he had opposed it from some misapprehensions that it would be injurious to his constituents On examining the resolution he had found nothing in it which could be likely to conflict with the interests either of the country east of the Cascades or the State at large Another reason that influenced him was that he had been credibly informed by gentlemen who were members of the House at its last session that by an understanding effected at that time this resolution was passed at that session, but through mistake in engrossing it failed to become a law, and now in good faith, unless there is some obvious reason for not carrying out the compromise, it shall be acceded to For these reasons he had concluded to vote in favor of the resolution

Mr Lawson offered a memorial representing that many bonds of the United States are now owned by citizens of this State and it being taxable they cause unequal taxation and revenue of the State and requesting therefore that Congress consider the propriety of releasing or recalling said non taxable bonds as a just practicable by taxing others not made with that condition, believing that such action now that the war is over and the credit of the Government amply to make the change with adequate compensation as guarantees to the bond holders and suggesting that such action would prove to justly satisfy the people generally

Mr Bowlby offered a bill for the payment of the members and officers of the Legislature and for printing five thousand dollars or so much of it as might be necessary for that purpose

Mr Wakefield offered a joint resolution to elect on Wednesday next a Penitentiary Commissioner in the place of Col Cornelius who has not qualified

The bill for the repeal of the Specific Contract Law came up on its first reading

Mr Underwood moved to reject

On a call of the House all the members were found present

Mr Underwood moved the previous question and the vote resulted as follows

Ayes—Messrs Bowlby Cartwright Congles Hogue Holman Lawson McCarthur Pierce Powell Quick Shipley Turner Underwood Wakefield Wasserman, Warner and Mr Speaker —17

Nays—Messrs Beall Callin, Chaplin Cox Fay Fisher, Gillette Glass Lane Mc[illegible]nack Murphy Otey Parker Perkins Smith, Tate and Thornton —17

So the House refused to reject and the bill went to the Printer

Adjourned to 2 o'clock, P M

AFTERNOON

Mr Underwood moved to take from the table the Senate joint resolution to adjourn on the 16th inst Agreed to

Mr Underwood moved to amend by striking out the word sixteenth and inserting the words on Tuesday the 19th at noon Amendment was agreed to and the resolution as amended was adopted

A message was received from the Senate announcing its concurrence in the House joint resolution in regard to investigating the accounts of the office of the State Treasurer and the appointment on the committee of Messrs Grim, Hovey and Caldwell The Speaker appointed Messrs Underwood, Bowlby and Fay on the part of the House

A message was received from the Senate transmitting a memorial instructing our delegates to ask Congress to appropriate the sum of $1, 574 02 for the reimbursement of Nathan Olney and others for expenses incurred under the old Provisional Government of Oregon Concurred in.

Also a memorial against taxing mining interest was concurred in without opposition

Several bills were read

A message from the Senate announced that that body had concurred in the House amendment to the resolution to adjourn *sine die* on the 19th inst Also, that House joint resolution to admit no new business after to-day, was amended by inserting Wednesday the 13th, instead of Tuesday the 12th inst, was concurred in The House accepted the amendment

Mr Shipley introduced a bill to substitute the old territorial seal for the present State seal

On motion of Mr Underwood, the House decided that on adjourning to day, it stand adjourned to ten o'clock to morrow

A number of bills were read, discussed, and amended, which will be noticed at length when they are finally passed

Adjourned

Joint Resolutions

The following resolutions, offered by Mr Mitchell, were adopted by the Legislature on the 12th inst. without opposition:

WHEREAS—The Congress of the United States of America did on the 2d day of March, anno domini, 1799 enact a law entitled "*An Act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage*,

AND WHEREAS a careful and honest observance of the provisions of said Act is a duty incumbent upon every good citizen while a violation of its provisions or departure from its requirements is a direct stab at the national existence by opening the door to innumerable frauds upon its revenue, which is its life,

AND WHEREAS during the past year there have been repeated and flagrant violations of the whole some provisions of this law perpetrated by divers persons navigating the high seas between the ports of San Francisco, California, Victoria, Vancouvers' Island and Portland, Oregon, by which gross frauds have been practiced upon the revenues of the nation,

AND WHEREAS through the persevering and truly commendable vigilance and untiring performance of duty on the part of W L. Adams, Collector of Customs at the port of Astoria, Oregon, divers of these offenders have been arrested in, and prosecuted and convicted of such offenses, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, That being profoundly sensible of the importance of a strict observance of all laws having for their purpose the protection of the national revenue, and especially that of March 2d, 1799, which was prepared, matured, and enacted by the ablest minds of our revolutionary statesmen, and being fully advised that many of its provisions have within the past year been willfully violated by persons engaged in trading upon and navigating the waters of the Pacific ocean bordering our western coast, we do solemnly condemn all such violations of law, whether perpetrated by commanders of vessels or subordinate officers, as direct assaults upon our national existence, and do protest that those who engage in such violations of law—who are tried and found guilty by a jury of their peers—are not entitled to and should not receive, Executive clemency

Resolved, That we heartily commend Collector W L Adams for the vigilance he has exercised in ferreting out, and bringing to trial and conviction persons and vessels engaged in those frauds upon our revenue

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby instructed to forward a certified copy of these resolutions, under seal of State one to Andrew Johnson, President of the United States one to W H. Seward, Secretary of State and one to Hugh McCulloch Secretary of the Treasury

The following resolutions, offered by Mr Pyle on the 12th inst, was unanimously adopted by the Oregon Legislature

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO 1

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled

Your memorialists, the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, would respectfully represent that in their opinion the passage of any law by Congress imposing a tax upon mining claims or the right of mining upon the public lands of the United States other than upon gold bars and the general income tax already in force, would be greatly detrimental to the interests of that portion of our countrymen who are engaged in developing the rich mineral resources of our country without resulting in any benefit to the General Government, and at the same time would work a manifest injustice to those hardy and industrious prospectors and miners who deserve the encouragement and protection of the Government Your memorialists represent that all the products of mining are already made to pay tribute by the income tax, and it would be contrary to the principles of justice to tax the ore both before and after it is separated from the earth in which it is found in bed nor do they think it right or expedient to tax the muscle of the hardy laborer for the simple right of working to better his own condition in the branch of industry which so often rewards his long years of honest toil with drafts instead of gold and rags and poverty

THE GENUINE HALL'S VEGETABLE HAIR RENEWER is sold for fifty cents only It is the cheapest and most effective remedy ever offered for Colds Coughs Asthma and all Pulmonary affections

To the Officers and Members of Ellison Encampment No 1—Special Meeting this Friday evening December 15 at 7 o'clock All Patriarchs in good standing are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted

By order of C P

Portland Dec 15 1865

DR. R. GLISAN,

Late of San Francisco formerly U S Army Office at Front, street between Washington and Alder Residence North Fifth street, between Cardwell Portland Oregon oct25

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The undersigned will be taking Pictures in this City at WOODARD'S GALLERY in Vaughn's brick building corner of Front and Morrison streets, and those wishing the BEST PHOTOGRAPHS, CARTES DE VISITE or other style of Pictures should bear in mind that the forenoon is the best time to have Negatives taken His ability to please subjects is unrivaled Hope there is no necessity of speaking it that respect

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Portland, Oct 25, 1865 JOSEPH BUCHTEL

HOW PRISONERS ARE TAKEN.—Capt Shelby of the Confederate Army was captured by a squad of Union soldiers, who found in his possession a bottle of Dr Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. Capt Shelby was induced to take a dose of the Balsam, and was so much relieved by it that he gave the bottle to the soldiers, telling them that it was worth more than all the rebel army. The soldiers found that it was a good thing for a cough, and kept the bottle. Capt Shelby escaped. The soldiers were court martialed for allowing him to escape, but they proved that they were taken prisoners by the Balsam of Wild Cherry, and were honorably acquitted.

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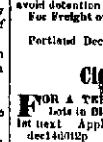

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[illegible] HOUSE.—The denizens of the dark alleys on that block bounded by Alder, Second, [illegible] streets, was yesterday the scene of much [illegible] and excitement, caused by an irregularity [illegible] concerns of a certain Celestial family—[illegible] and Mrs. Ah Yien—who were united in the [illegible] of wedlock by His Honor Judge Hoffman on [illegible]. It seems that unlike Grecian style, the [illegible] by the humble Celestial was not above the [illegible] her genius of the more-eyed persuasion, [illegible] upon the bliss of their honeymoon. This [illegible] the unfaithful Mrs. John, during the [illegible] from home, and his quiet dreams [illegible] him of visions of gold and silver coin, by breaking [illegible] the valuables of the family were [illegible], and leaving the true state of the [illegible] his wife in the bottom of his heart, [illegible], and repaired at once to the Judge who [illegible] made him happy, for redress of grievances. [illegible] in the appearance of the woman and her [illegible] were held in bonds of $500 to appear this [illegible] examination will be made of the merits [illegible] of the case. The lawful husband of [illegible] to be an honest Chinaman, while she and [illegible] bear the blasted impress of the effects of [illegible], which renders it pretty [illegible] hand has been made a victim of mis[illegible] and the case will stand as an offset to [illegible] of such white men and women as [illegible] and [illegible].

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[illegible] D. Stanford, Dec. 14th, wife of [illegible], of the mother [illegible] the case of the State vs. George [illegible] parallel, or [illegible] submitted, which holds [illegible] until the next sitting of the Grand [illegible] of the State of California Standish, [illegible] Court, a motion for a new [illegible] would be [illegible] motion not to [illegible] cause [illegible] trial. The court stated that in such [illegible] highly probable that nine jurors out [illegible] to agree, and the case would be [illegible] term for another [illegible] length of [illegible] that one juror of the panel [illegible] to be [illegible] in the [illegible] of their duty, [illegible] would much rather that one hung [illegible] than one [illegible] officer [illegible] by [illegible] the fine imposed upon Mr. [illegible] Here ends the case, which, were we privileged [illegible] a word, by a term [illegible] the beginning [illegible].

—The wine depot of H. Bayer, on First [illegible] Sold from which [illegible] for home use, during the holiday [illegible] to his stock some of the [illegible] direct from the vineyard [illegible]. The best [illegible] [illegible] like the Imperial [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The Claims on Great Britain

INTERVIEW BETWEEN LORD STANLEY AND MINISTER ADAMS TO EARL RUSSELL

(Continued.)

For if it be once fairly established a principle of the international code that a neutral Power is the sole judge of the degree to which it has done its duty under a treaty, it opens its own making for the present or any future flagrant disregard of its own principles the door to the belligerent to the opera with numbers of its own subjects and perpetrate upon the commerce of the other on the high seas if it be decided that the neutral upon reclamation made for the injuries thus done by reason of the manifest insufficiency of its means of repression which it has at all times the power to improve at will can decline entirely to respond to any such appeal and fall back upon the little that it has attempted as an excuse and thenceforward claim with justice to be released from the inevitable consequences that must ensue from its inaction then it must surely follow that the only competition between neutral Powers hereafter will be, not which shall do the most, but which shall do the least to fulfill its obligations of interdiction of the industry and enterprise of its people in promoting the conflicts that take place between belligerents on the seas. If this be once recognized as good law through the authority which the influence of Her Majesty's Government can attach to it I dare not venture to foresee how much reluctance there may be on the part of the people whom I have the honor to represent to accept and act upon it. Hitherto a want of eagerness on the part of the most adventurous and least scrupulous portion of them to participate in enterprise on behalf of any belligerent that promised personal advantage cannot be charged upon them. The references made by your lordship to the cases of Spain and Portugal must have convinced you of this truth. The prospect of impunity in such enterprises in all that is needed. Further than this I might only venture to suggest to your lordship to consider which of the nations of the world presents on every sea around the globe the most tempting prizes in an event no friend would more deplore than myself of its being again as it has so often been heretofore doomed to be afflicted by the calamities of a war.

It does so happen however, that no doctrine of this kind has yet been accepted as legitimate by the Government which I represent. On the contrary, it has ever assumed the painful and difficult task of responding to the just appeals of foreign friendly nations for protection against such enterprises. Whenever representations have been made by their agents, measures have been promptly taken to enforce the laws, and when the issue proved the insufficiency of the existing statutes, the duty of further legislation has been promptly recognized. This appears to me to constitute the full obligation of a neutral. Singularly enough, this course was taken in at least three instances, on the representations made by authority of Her Majesty's Government. I allude to the first law passed in 1794, in consequence of the complaints and at the special instance of Hammond, and to another in 1797. Your lordship appears to me but partially to state what was done when you dwell only on the compensation actually made for the cases in which there had been a failure to act. These laws were enacted to provide a better preventive process in all future cases, mainly for the protection of British commerce. The third example was the law of 1818, which was the remedy applied to evasions committed on the boundary of the British provinces in Canada by persons in the United States whom the existing statutes were found not effective to restrain or punish.

Thus it was, too, in the case of Portugal, to which your lordship is pleased once more to call my attention. And here I must ask permission to restate my view of the matter, which seems to have failed to be fully considered by your lordship. I certainly understood you to introduce the case into the correspondence as going to show this: that the Government of the United States had set a precedent of disavowing further responsibility in cases of reclamations for injuries committed on the high seas by outfits made, in despite of them, in their ports, against the commerce of Portugal, which the existing law had proved on trial ineffective to prevent or punish. This is the precise position which I understand Her Majesty's Government to assume. Hence the value of the example as a personal argument in the present instance.

In opposition to this view it has been my purpose, by appealing to the facts in the case, to show that the Government had at once recognized the validity of the remonstrances of Portugal by first resorting to the laws already provided to meet the case by appeal to the Courts and next by promptly responding to the later demand of the same nation for more effectual modes of restraint than those which experience had shown to be ineffectual. To meet this demand a new law more particularly addressed to the object of prevention had been enacted, the efficacy of which proved so considerable as actually to elicit from the remonstrating party repeated expressions of his satisfaction with it. It does not appear that any further security was ever asked than this. The Government had done everything that could be reasonably required. It was therefore discharged from responsibility.

There were, indeed, subsequent cases of wrongful outfits and captures, of which your lordship has taken note. But in reply to the remonstrances that followed, the answer was prompt that they no longer raised questions that called for the interposition of the Executive Department. Its whole duty had been performed. The true remedy was now open by an appeal to the Courts. The language of Adams in his reply to M. Correa de Serra, a portion of which only I perceive has been introduced in your lordship's note, goes directly to this point. I pray permission to supply it in the following extract:

"The Government of the United States has neither countenanced nor permitted any violation of that neutrality by their citizens. They have, by various and successive acts of legislation manifested their constant earnestness to fulfil their duties toward all the parties to that war. They have repressed every intended violation of them which has been brought before their Courts and substantiated by testimony conformable to principles recognised by all tribunals of similar jurisdiction."

Your lordship in reading this passage could hardly have failed to feel the force of the successive affirmations of facts which form the grounds of the pleas that all the obligations imposed upon a neutral Power in such cases had been fulfilled. The fact in the case was that Correa de Serra in his representations had begun to change his grounds of complaint, and direct his charges against the administration of justice in the Courts. This was a position obviously untenable.

Much and sorely as I have felt at times the little chance that the United States has stood of receiving impartial justice in Her Majesty's Courts, I have never received from my Government any instructions which did not fully recognize the impropriety of raising a question in regard to their decisions. This makes no part whatever of the grounds upon which I am instructed to make reclamation. The question has never been as to what the judicial tribunals have done or failed to do. It turns exclusively upon the duties of a neutral Government, to perform its obligations to a friendly power by a prompt and energetic policy of repression of flagrant wrongs through existing means and in the event of a failure of those means, by the adoption of others which it was entirely within its power to supply if so disposed. The responsibility entailed upon Her Majesty's Government in the present instance has always seemed to me to grow out of the feebleness of its measures of prevention at the outset, and its deliberate refusal to obtain an enlargement of its powers after existing remedies had proved unavailing.

With respect to that portion of your lordship's note which appears to defend the existing legislation as having really provided adequate, I beg leave only to remark that it is sufficiently answered by the fact that you yourself proceed to specify in proof of it mainly those cases in which Her Majesty's Government is admitted to have taken a responsible view of action beyond the law. While I have always been ready to hear testimony to the eminent ability of the nation for which your lordship appears to have assumed a grave responsibility, I am at a loss to perceive how that diminishes the force of the reasoning which would seek from the legislature protection of the law of the land, that performance of obligations which appears now to depend only on the courage of the Minister to transcend its limits.

And here I must pray permission to dwell a moment upon one passage of your lordship's note which has excited a strong sense of surprise not to say astonishment. In order that I may by no possibility be guilty of any misconstruction of the meaning of the language I take the liberty with your permission to transcribe the very words. They are these:

"You say, indeed that the Government of the United States altered its law at the urgent request of the Portuguese Minister.

"But you forget that the law thus altered was the law of 1794 and that the law of 1818 then adopted was in fact as far as was consistent applicable to the circumstance and institutions of this country the model of our Foreign Enlistment Act of 1819.

"Surely then, it is not enough to say that your Government at the request of Portugal recommended Congress to provide a new and more stringent law for the purpose of preventing depredations if Great Britain has already such a law and the law of the United States of 1818 not being already in its operation virtuous and tried by our Legislature, you might reasonably have asked us not to pass a new law but surely we are not bound to go on making new laws and amendments because new occasions arise."

If I did not rightly comprehend the sense of your lordship, I pray to be corrected when I assume it to be that an argument drawn from the precedent of the course of my Government in making a new law to meet the new instance of the Portuguese Minister has no force in supporting the representation I make in the present instance because those very provisions of American legislation have been already long since substantially adopted by Great Britain in the Enlistment Act.

If such be your lordship's proposition I must pray your pardon if I hazard the remark, in reply that you cannot have given to the respective statutes in question the benefit of that careful collation in which the occasion would seem to require. If you had done so you must have noticed that in point of fact they are materially unlike. The British law is as your lordship states a re-enactment of that of the United States, but it does not adopt all of its main provisions as you seem to suppose. Singularly enough it entirely omits those very same sections which were originally enacted in 1817 as a temporary law on the complaint of the Portuguese Minister and were made permanent in that of 1818. It is in these very sections that our experience has shown us to reside the best preventive force in the whole law. I do not doubt, as I had the honor to remark in my former note that if they had also been incorporated into the British statute a large portion of the undertakings of which my Government so justly complains would either have never been commenced or if commenced, would never have been executed. Surely it was not from any fault of the United States that these effective provisions of their own law failed to find a place in the corresponding legislation of Great Britain. But the occasion having arisen when the absence of some similar security was felt by my Government to be productive of the most injurious effects I cannot but think that it was not so unreasonable as your lordship appears to assume, that it should hope to see a willingness in that of Great Britain to make the reciprocal legislation still more complete. In the same willingness in that of Great Britain to make the reciprocal legislation still more complete. In one true centre from which the most effective and dangerous enterprises against the commerce of belligerents may be contrived fitted out and executed. The existing restriction upon the expeditions of daring adventurers will rapidly become obsolete and no new ones will be adopted. Ships and money will always be at hand for the service of any Power sufficiently strong to hold forth a probability of repayment in any form, or adroit enough to secure a share of popular sympathy in its undertakings. *New Florides, Alabamas and Shenandoahs* will appear on every sea. If such be the recognized law, I will not undertake to affirm that the country which I have the honor to represent would not in the end, be able to accommodate itself to the new circumstances as Great Britain. Whilst I cannot but think that every moderate statesman would deprecate such a change, which could hardly fail to increase the hazard of lamentable complications among the great maritime Powers, I cannot see an escape from it, if a nation itself possessing a marine so numerous and extensively dispersed, decides to lead the way.

Entertaining these views, it appears scarcely necessary for me to follow your lordship further in the examination of details of former precedents either in English or American history. I am happily relieved from any such necessity by learning the conclusions to which Her Majesty's Government have arrived. Understanding it to decline the proposal of arbitration, which I had the honor, under instruction, to present, in any form, for reasons assigned by your lordship, I nevertheless am happy to be informed that

"Her Majesty's Government are ready to consent to the appointment of a commission, to which shall be referred all claims arising during the late civil war which the two Powers shall agree to refer to the Commissioners."

I have taken measures to make known, at the earliest moment, this proposal to my Government, and shall ask permission to await the return of instructions before giving a reply.

Disclaiming all authority to express in advance any opinion on the part of my Government, I pray, at the same time, your lordship's attention to a single circumstance which without a previous agreement upon the great principle of international law involved in this controversy, may raise a difficulty in the way of accepting the proposal. At a first glance it would appear as if it were, in substance identically the same with that long ago made by the Portuguese Government to that of the United States. The essence of the answer returned in that case happens to have lately passed under your eye, since it is found incorporated in your lordship's note. I trust I cannot be suspected of a desire to imply that in taking this step Her Majesty's Government could have sought to appear either as proposing on the one hand a measure which it foresaw must be declined, or, on the other, one which, if accepted, could be so accepted only at the risk of a charge of disavowing the views of constructional law entertained by my Government in former times. It may indeed be that in this view, I may, after explanation, find that I have misconceived the nature of your lordship's proposal on the view which my Government will take of it, in which case I pray you to excuse the suggestion and consider it as made without authority, and solely in the hope of eliciting such explanation.

I take great satisfaction in concluding this note by cordially responding to your lordship's request.

To join with Her Majesty's Government in rejoicing that the war has ended without any rupture between two nations which ought to be connected by the closest bonds of amity."

I likewise receive with great pleasure your lordship's assurances that the efforts by which the Government and Congress of my country have shaken off slavery "have the warmest sympathies of the people of these kingdoms."

If from painful observation in a service extended through four years, I cannot in candor yield my entire assent to this statement as applied to a large and too influential portion of Her Majesty's subjects if it has been my misfortune to observe in the process of so wonderful a revolution a degree of coldness and apathy prevailing in many quarters from which my countrymen had every right to expect warm and earnest sympathy if throughout this great trial, the severity of which few not well versed in the nature of our institutions could fully comprehend, the voice of encouragement from this side of the water has too often omitted a doubtful sound. I yet indulge the hope that the result arrived at will ultimately correct the hasty and harsh judgments that flowed from lack of faith and of confidence of our fidelity to a righteous cause. Of the friendly disposition in this regard of the members of Her Majesty's Government and especially of your lordship, I have never permitted myself to doubt. And yet in the midst of the gravest of our difficulties I cannot forget that even your lordship was pleased in an official published dispatch, to visit with the severity of your but too weighty censure, the greatest political measure of the late lamented President—that which, in fact, opened the only practicable way to the final attainment of the glorious end. Under such circumstances I pray you not to be surprised if I am compelled not to disguise the fact that with my fellow-countrymen, as among my countrymen at large there is still felt a strong sense of injured feeling which only time and the frequent better understanding in the future hold out by the consolatory stream in your lordship's note are likely to correct.

Recognizing most fully the justice and propriety of the joint duty marked out in your concluding sentence I have etc

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS

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The needle cannot be set wrong;

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Agents for Oregon, 103 Front street

Portland, Nov 30, 1864 nddawly

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made by ordinance No 263 for the improvement of Washington street between the west line of First street and the center of Third street is now payable to the City Treasurer in U S gold coin and if the assessment is not paid within five days from the final publication of this notice the Council will order a warrant for the collection of the same and assessment is as follows, to wit

DATE OF ENTRY	BLOCK	LOT	OWNER OR REPUTED OWNER	AMOUNT
Nov 1	39	4	Carter	1 05
		5 & 6	W W Burke	117 45
		7	C Seibert	11 25
		8	J Kamm	11 25
		1	J C Ireland	11 25
		2	Hinman & Pocking	11 25
		3	Henry and Kauf	11 25
		4	J Ireland	5 44
		5	Thos or Chris	5 44
		6	Hugh Kamm	11 25
	s25ft of S&all	7	J Thompson	11 25
	w76ft of S&all	8	A Austin	5 63
	n2 ft of 1		Alexander Myers	50 12
	s25ft of 1	2	J O'Connor	78 98
		3 & 8	S Blumauer	2 44
		4 & 5	H W Corbett	12 44
	n62ft of S&all	6	T H Pearne	250 98
	w57ft of S	7	A Tallo & Bro	17 99
	w57ft of S	8	Dunkerman	50 85
		1 & 4	Brodhead & Davis	118 95
		2 & 3	Mercier & Burnside	58 0
	w&all	5 & 6	W P Bayley	211 01
		7		7 11
		8		11 01
	e75ft of	1 & 2	Smith Tent	130 10
	w27ft of	3 & 4	City of Portland	129 45
		5	T M Cully	44 10
		7		14 10

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H R MEEKER

Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland

Portland Dec 6 1865 101

Notice to Contractors

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of D W H Wickham in Carter's Building corner of Washington and Front streets until Thursday the second day of the 14th 1865 at 4 o'clock P M of said day for improving Madison street in the City of Portland from the west line of Front street to the center of Sixth street in the manner and manner provided by Ordinance No 277 passed by the Common Council of said City and duly approved April —For removing a portion of said material from and grading said street as required in said Ordinance

Second —For furnishing material and constructing the curbing side-walks and cross walks in the manner provided by said Ordinance

Third —For furnishing material and laying the stone walk and furnishing and constructing the gravelling on said street as provided in said Ordinance

Contractors will be required to bid separately to the work on each half of the street with the share of the improvement of intersection which is chargeable to each block of lots abutting thereon

Specifications and drawings may be seen at the Office of City Surveyor

The Committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids deemed unreasonable

Bonds will be required for the faithful performance of the work

Portland Dec 7th, 1865

J P O LOWNSDALE,
W W ATKINS
R R THOMPSON
dec7dtd Committee on Streets and Public Property

Ordinance No 283

AN ORDINANCE to prevent persons carrying firearms or deadly weapons of any kind within the Corporate limits of the City

The City of Portland does Ordain as follows

Section 1 It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to carry any fire arms or deadly weapons of any kind in a concealed manner within the Corporate limits of the City

Sec 2 It shall be the duty of the Marshal or any of his Deputies to arrest any person carrying such concealed weapons

Sec 3 Peace officers shall be exempt from the provisions of this Ordinance as regards to the carrying of such fire-arms or weapons

Sec 4 Any person violating Section 1 of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and in conviction before the Recorder shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten (10) dollars nor more than one hundred (100) dollars or by imprisonment in the City Jail not less than five (5) days nor more than twenty (20) days, at the discretion of the Recorder

Passed the Common Council December 8 1865

Attest H R MEEKER Auditor and Clerk

Approved December 9, 1865

dec11dtd HENRY FAILING Mayor

GRAND CONCERT EVERY NIGHT,

AT THE

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THE NEW SALOON, entrance from Stark Street will be a PRIVATE TWO BIT SALOON, and will be supplied every night, with a Splendid Lunch, the best of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Oysters and other Delicacies

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HENRY WAGNER

Portland Nov 3, 1865 dtf

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180 mats "
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16,000 lbs KONA COFFEE.

For sale in lots to suit purchasers.

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Portland, August 28th, 1865. dtf

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IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY, FOURTEEN MILES from Oregon City and 25 miles from Portland, containing 640 acres, 100 of which are fenced and in a good state of cultivation, and a good orchard of twenty acres of the best fruit in the country. The land is half prairie and half timber. There is on it a good two-story frame house, a barn and a distillery for making apple brandy nearly ready to run.

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It will be sold at a price very much below its actual value. For particulars apply to F HYLLS,

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Nov 25 dtm

To Surveyors

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the City Council of Oregon City proposals will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st day of January 1866, for a full and complete survey of Oregon City each lot and Block thereof to be separately surveyed and the beginning corner of each Block designated by a stone monument properly numbered &c. Full particulars in regard to this contract can be obtained on application to either of the undersigned at Oregon City. Proposals to be addressed to Chairman & Rec, Oregon City, endorsed "proposals for the Survey of Oregon City"

W M BUCK
THOS CHARMAN
R M BARLOW
Special Committee of said City Council

Dissolution Notice.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing in the RISING SUN SALOON between Loughan & Wise is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All amounts due the firm must be paid to Jas Loughan, who will settle all just claims against the late firm. Increasing

JAS LEVAGHAN,
JOSEPH WISE

Portland Dec 2 1865

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Nov 20 dtm* Spill Salmon First St, near Salmon

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PURE LIVERPOOL SALT—COARSE AND FINE, by

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A HOUSE AND LOT, For particulars apply to

WOLFE & TEMPLE

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OF ALL SIZES For sale by

H W CORBETT.

Portland February 4th, 1865 dtm

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THE UNDIVIDED ONE-THIRD OF 320 ACRES OF land and a Saw Mill. Inquire of

DR J L COOMBS

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250 BARRELS COKE. Apply at the Office of the

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Nov 10 dtf

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Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.

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Portland July 29th 1865 dtf

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Mining Notices.

Auburn Canal Company.—There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on 17th day of Oct. 1865, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows

Names	No. Certificate	No. Shares	Amt
Silas Drew	29	30	1,125 00
"	28	8	300 00
J Myrick	25	7	262 50
"	72	2	75 00
J S Rinckel	24	30	1,125 00
"	341	8	300 00

And in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon, and by vote of the Directors of said Company, made on the 30th day of November, A D 1865, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary, will be sold at public auction at the Office of said Company, on the 26th day of December A D 1865, at 10 o'clock A M to pay said delinquent assessments together with all costs and charges thereon.

B F GOODWIN
Nov 21, 1865 —td Secretary

War Eagle Gold and Silver Mining Co.

A MEETING of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at the office of E W Tracy & Co., in Portland, on the LAST TUESDAY in December for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

It is desired that all persons holding stock will attend in person or by proxy, as by a recorded vote of the stockholders the by laws can be changed, the ledger worked and the stock made valuable.

By order of the Directors

JAS. W GOING, Secretary

Portland Nov 20, 1865 d30t

Potosi of Idaho Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Location of Mine French District, Owhee County T F—Notice—There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 13th day of June, 1865, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows

Names	No Certificates	No Shares	Amt
W P Ray	1	14	$14 00
"	2	5	5 00
S P Zerr	27	5	5 00
"	75	2	2 00
J M Kirkpatrick	68 and 63	5—ea	10 00
"	1 shares of 65	10	2 00
A Hiatt	15	2	3 00
"	16	14	14 00
"	71	2	2 00
"	17 and 18	5—ea.	10 00
W H Packwood	35	50	50 00
"	52 and 53	5—ea	10 00
D C O Brian	203,204,205,206,207, 208,209,210 211 and 236,	10—ea	100 00
D C O Brian	213	2	2 00
John Ebner	408,409 410 and 411	25—ea	100 00
"	414	24	24 00
Wakefield & Stacey	247 248 249 250	5—ea.	42 00
J W Knight	251,252 and 253	5—ea	10 00
"	267 and 270	5—ea	10 00
"	275	10	10 00
George Spingel	283	10	10 00
"	284	5	5 00
Washington Dunkerly	401	2	2 00

There is also due on the following described stock on account of assessment levied January 14th, 1865

W P Ray	1	14	14 00
"	7	5	5 00
A Hiatt	71	2	2 00
George Spingel	283	10	10 00
"	284	5	5 00
Washington Dunkerly	401	2	2 00

In accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon and an order of the Board of Directors of said Potosi of Idaho Gold and Silver Mining Company, made on the 13th day of September 1865, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the front door of the office of the Company, between 14 and 76 Front street, Portland at public auction on the 21st day of October, 1865, at 9 45 o'clock A M of that day, to pay said assessments with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

40 at 40/sold JAMES STEEL, Sec'y

The above sale is postponed to the 2d day of December 1865 By order of the Board of Directors

JAMES STEEL, Secretary

The above sale is postponed until the 16th day of December by order of the Directors

JAMES STEEL Sec'y

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY,
WASHINGTON, September 4th 1865

WHEREAS, It satisfactorily appears by evidence presented to the undersigned that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND in the city of Portland in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon has been duly organized under and has complied with the requirements of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States Bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof" approved June 3d 1864, and has complied with all the requirements of said Act required to be complied with before commencing the business of Banking under said Act:

Now therefore I HILEMAN CLARKE Comptroller of the Currency do hereby certify that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND in the city of Portland in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon is authorized to commence the business of Banking under the Act aforesaid.

In witness whereof I have hereunto my hand and Seal of Office this 8th day of September 1865

HILEMAN CLARKE
Comptroller

DR. LA'MERT

RESPECTFULLY INFORMS HIS PATIENTS AND THE Public that he has removed his Office to the Front Rooms All bills will please be handed to Wells Fargo & Co San Francisco. Consultation free. No notice of residence will be given

CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL ADVICE.

DR. LA'MERT,

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Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh
M D of the University of Erlangen
Licentiate of Royal Society of Apothecaries, London, &c

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B SHARFF,
Portland, Oregon, Nov 27, 1865 I ISAAC
Witness, S L Conger. dlm

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